



The Dow Chemical Company  
2301 N. Brazosport Blvd.  
Freeport, Texas 77541-3257

October 31, 2001

JCS879 U.S.P.T.O.  
10/003639  
  
11/02/01

RE: 44417A

Attached are copies of the Information Disclosure Statements and copies of the 1449's filed in our first original application. References cited will be furnished upon request.

Thank you

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "MaryAnn Medelez".

MaryAnn Medelez  
Intellectual Property Section  
Legal Department  
(979) 238-5749

/mam

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Bharat I. Chaudhary, et al.

Serial No.: 09/374,100

Group Art Unit: 1732

Filed: August 12, 1999

Examiner: Unknown

For: THERMOPLASTIC COMPOSITIONS FOR DURABLE GOODS  
APPLICATIONS

JC879 USPTO  
10/003639 PTO  
11/02/01

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED  
WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL WITH  
SUFFICIENT POSTAGE IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: ASSISTANT  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, WASHINGTON, DC 20231, ON:

January 11, 2001

DATE OF DEPOSIT

Omeishcia Thomas

PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF PERSON SIGNING CERTIFICATE

Omeishcia Thomas

SIGNATURE OF PERSON SIGNING CERTIFICATE

January 11, 2001

DATE OF SIGNATURE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Pursuant to Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56, the Examiner's attention is directed to the information identified in the attached Form PTO 1449.

A copy of all cited patents and printed publications is enclosed. The Examiner is requested to review each reference and formulate his own understanding thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

Lee Spencer

Lee Spencer

Registration No. 43,353

Phone: (979) 238-2886

2301 N. Brazosport Blvd.  
Freeport, TX 77541

LS/ot

44417

<b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT</b> <i>(Use Several Sheets if necessary)</i>		ATTY DOCKET NO. 44417		SERIAL NO. 09/374,100		
		APPLICANT Bharat I. Chaudhary, et al.				U.S. PRO 10/03639 11/02/01
		FILING DATE August 12, 1999		GROUP 1732		
		<b>U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS</b>				
EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	
	3,974,114	8/1976	Sowa	260	23 H	
	5,317,051	5/1994	Harashige, et al.	524	310	
	5,367,025	11/1994	Needham	525	166	
<b>FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS</b>						
	DOCUMENT NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	
	0 452 010 A2	10/1991	European	C08L	23/10	
	0 869 146 A1	10/1998	European	C08L	23/08	
<b>OTHER DISCLOSURES</b> (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Place of Publication, Etc.)						
		International Search Report dated 15 November 2000 issued by the EPO acting as the International Searching Authority in PCT/US00/22231.				
EXAMINER			DATE CONSIDERED			
*EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include a copy of this form with next communication to Applicant.						

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Bharat I. Chaudhary, et al.

Serial No.: 09/374,100

Group Art Unit: 1732

Filed: August 12, 1999

Examiner: Unknown

For: THERMOPLASTIC COMPOSITIONS FOR DURABLE GOODS  
APPLICATIONS

JC879 U.S. PTO  
10/003639  
11/02/01



I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED  
WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL WITH  
SUFFICIENT POSTAGE IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: ASSISTANT  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, WASHINGTON, DC 20231, ON:

December 15, 1999

DATE OF DEPOSIT

Omeishcia Thomas

PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF PERSON SIGNING CERTIFICATE

Omeishcia Thomas

SIGNATURE OF PERSON SIGNING CERTIFICATE

December 15 1999

DATE OF SIGNATURE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Pursuant to Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56, the Examiner's attention is directed to the information identified in the attached Form PTO 1449.

A copy of all cited patents and printed publications is enclosed. The Examiner is requested to review each reference and formulate his own understanding thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephen P. Krupp  
Stephen P. Krupp  
Registration No. 34,366  
Phone: (409) 238-2889

12/15/99  
2301 N. Brazosport Blvd.  
Freeport, TX 77541

SPK/ot

44417

<b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT</b> <i>(Use Several Sheets if necessary)</i>		ATTY DOCKET NO.	SERIAL NO.
		44417	09/374,100
		APPLICANT	
		Bharat I. Chaudhary, et al.	
FILING DATE	GROUP		
August 12, 1999	1732		

10/003639 U.S.P.T.O.  
11/02/01

**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	4,587,318	5/1986	Inoue, et al.	526	282	
	4,612,300	9/1986	Coleman, III	502	113	
	4,857,257	8/1989	Chen, et al.	264	310	
	5,055,438	10/1991	Canich	502	117	
	5,057,475	10/1991	Canich, et al.	502	104	
	5,064,802	11/1991	Stevens, et al.	502	155	
	5,096,867	3/1992	Canich	502	103	
	5,132,380	7/1992	Stevens, et al.	526	126	

**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

	DOCUMENT NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	TRANSLATION YES   NO
	0,416,815	3/1991	European	C08F	10/00	
	94/00500	1/1994	WO	C08F	10/00	
	95/32095	11/1995	WO	B32B	27/32	
	98/09999 (A2)	3/1998	WO	C08F	210/02	
	98/09999 (A3)	3/1998	WO	C08F	212/08	

**OTHER DISCLOSURES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Place of Publication, Etc.)**

	James C. Randall, Polymer Sequence Determination Carbon-13 NMR Method, pp.71-78. (1977)

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

\*EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include a copy of this form with next communication to Applicant.

<b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT</b> <i>(Use Several Sheets if necessary)</i>		ATTY DOCKET NO.	SERIAL NO.
		44417	09/374,100
		APPLICANT	
		Bharat I. Chaudhary, et al.	
FILING DATE	GROUP		
August 12, 1999	1732		

**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	5,189,192	2/1993	LaPointe, et al.	556	11	
	5,244,996	9/1993	Kawasaki, et al.	526	347	
	5,272,236	12/1993	Lai, et al.	526	348	
	5,278,272	1/1994	Lai, et al.	526	348.5	
	5,321,106	6/1994	LaPointe	526	126	
	5,347,024	9/1994	Nickias, et al.	556	11	
	5,350,723	9/1994	Neithamer, et al.	502	104	
	5,374,696	12/1994	Rosen, et al.	526	126	
	5,399,635	3/1995	Neithamer, et al.	526	126	

**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

	DOCUMENT NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	TRANSLATION YES   NO

**OTHER DISCLOSURES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Place of Publication, Etc.)**

EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED

<b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT</b> <i>(Use Several Sheets if necessary)</i>		ATTY DOCKET NO.	SERIAL NO.
		44417	09/374,100
		APPLICANT	Bharat I. Chaudhary, et al.
		FILING DATE	GROUP
		August 12, 1999	1732

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	5,420,090	5/1995	Spencer, et al.	502	107	
	5,470,993	11/1995	Devore, et al.	556	11	
	5,556,928	9/1996	Devore, et al.	526	127	
	5,652,315	7/1997	Inoue, et al.	526	153	
	5,703,187	12/1997	Timmers	526	282	
	5,721,185	2/1998	LaPointe, et al.	502	117	
	5,872,201	2/1999	Cheung, et al.	526	282	
	5,883,213	3/1999	Arai, et al.	526	347	

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

	DOCUMENT NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	TRANSLATION YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>

## OTHER DISCLOSURES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Place of Publication, Etc.)


EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED
*EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include a copy of this form with next communication to Applicant.	

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Bharat I. Chaudhary, et al.

Serial No.: 09/374,100

Group Art Unit: 1732

Filed: August 12, 1999

Examiner: Unknown

For: THERMOPLASTIC COMPOSITIONS FOR DURABLE GOODS  
APPLICATIONS

JC879 U.S. PTO  
10/003639  
11/02/01

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED  
WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL WITH  
SUFFICIENT POSTAGE IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: ASSISTANT  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, WASHINGTON, DC 20231, ON:

April 28, 2000

DATE OF DEPOSIT

Omeishcia Thomas

PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF PERSON SIGNING CERTIFICATE

Omeishcia Thomas

SIGNATURE OF PERSON SIGNING CERTIFICATE

April 28, 2000

DATE OF SIGNATURE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

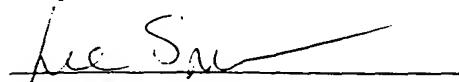
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Pursuant to Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56, the Examiner's attention is directed to the information identified in the attached Form PTO 1449.

A copy of all cited patents and printed publications is enclosed. The Examiner is requested to review each reference and formulate his own understanding thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Lee Spencer  
Registration No. 43,353  
Phone: (409) 238-2886

2301 N. Brazosport Blvd.  
Freeport, TX 77541

LS/ot

44417

